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CONGRESSIONAL REPORTS.

XXXIXTH CONGRESS-PIRST SESSIO WASHINGTON, APRIL 18, 1966. SENATE.

The Chair laid before the Senate a communica-tion from the Chief of the Bureau of Agriculture, in response to the resolution of the Senate once-ing the rinderpest or cattle plagus. Laid on the table and ordered to be printed. WARMINGTON CARAL TAX, ETC. Mr. Riddle introduced a bill to authorize a special tax for the imprevement of the Washington canal. Referred to the Committee for the District of Co-

mbbs. Also, a bill to authorise the Corporation of Wash-gton to regulate the width and improve the ave-ses of that city. Referred to the Committee for a District of Columbia. the District of Columbia.

OFFICERS' PAY AND EMEVEY APPOINTMENTS
Mr. Wilson presented several politions from Army
officers asking an increase of pay sawhich were referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.
Mr. Sherman effered a resolution requesting the
President to communicate to the Senats the report
of the Military Board which set at St. Louis on the
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subject of bravet appointments in the regular Army; which was adopted.

PAY DEPARTMENT OF THE NATY.

Mr. Origues, from the Naval Committee, reported, with an amendment, the bill to provide for the better organisation of the pay department of the navy. As reported, it is as follows:

Buc. 1. That from and after the passage of this act, the active litight he pay corps of the navy shall contest of eighty paymasters, forty passed assistant paymasters, and thirty assistant paymasters. Paymasters shall be regularly promoted and commissioned from passed assistant paymasters, and passed assistant paymasters, and all passed assistant paymasters, and all passed assistant paymasters anthorized to be appointed who have not heretofore been appointed and commissioned assistant paymaster, and all assistant paymasters hereby authorized to be appointed shall be selected from those who have served as setting assistant paymasters for the term of two years, and who were eligible to appointment in that grade when they were appointed acting assistant paymasters for the term of two years, and who were eligible to appointment in that grade when they were appointed a for the paymasters as aforesaid; subject, however, to such as amy be astablished by recovering the results of the as any one astablished by appointed acting a sistent paymenters as aforecase subject, however, to such examinations as are now required by law, and such as may be established by the Secretary of the Navy.

Sec 2. That passed assistant paymenters shall give bonds for the faithful performance of their control of the state of the s

give bonds for the faithful performance of their duties in the sum of fifeen thousand dollars; and that their annual salary shall be, at sea, fifeen hundred dollars; on other duty, fourteen hundred dollars; on leave or waiting orders, twelve hundred dollars.

On motion of Mr. Doollitis the joint resolution making an appropriation to enable the President to making an appropriation to enable the President to negotiate treaties with cortain Indian tribes, was taken up. It appropriates \$121,025.

Mr. Sherman was opposed to the present system of making treaties with the Indians.

Mr. McDougall said the Indians should be whipped into good behavior, and not bought. An Indian should sern his bread by the sweat of his brow, as much as any other man.

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By common consent, the special order was laid over informally.

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Mr. McDongall introduced a bill to authorize the President to transfer to W. P. Rogers or his associates Goat Island, in the harbor of San Francisco. Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

THE NOBLE RED MAN, AGAIN.

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consideration of the joint resolution was been proceeded with. Considerable discussion took place, participated by Mesers. Dealittle, Sherman, Ramsay and

Nesmith.

Mr. Doclittle explained that it was better to Mr. Doclittle explained that it was better to treat with the Indians than to fight them. It would be impossible to overtake them on the immessiblatins, and the cost of maintaining troops on the enormous. esolution having been read three times,

was passed.

THE LORING CONTRACTORS.

The special order, being the bill to reimburse contractors for certain iron-clade for issees incurred in fulfilling their contracts, was then taken up, the pending question being on the amendment of Mr. Nye, so insert fifteen per cent. Instead of twelve in the amendment of Mr. Ortimes.

Mr. Johnson addressed the Senate in support of the bill.

TRANKS TO SERBUAL BANCOCK.

On motion of Mr. Hendricks, the further consideration of the bill was then postponed until toorrow.
On motion of Mr. Wilson, the House joint resu-tion to extend the thanks of Congress to Major eneral Winfield Scott Hancock, was taken up and

General Winfield Scott Hancock, was taken up and passed unanimously.

On motion of Mr. Wilson, the joint resolution appointing managers for the National Asylum for disabled volunteer reddient was taken up and passed. FORT OFFICE APPROPRIATION BILL.

Onmotion of Mr. Sherman, the Post Office Appropriation bill for the facal year e.ding June 30, 1867, was taken up and read, and certain one-diments reported by the Committee were agreed to Mr. Henderson officered an amendment, that no money should be drawn from the Treasury to pay the salary of any postumester after the adjournment of the Senate, whose nomination has been rejected or not consented to by that body.

Mr. Johnous said that it had always been the practice of the Gevernment that officers whose speciments have been rejected shall be paid up to

practice of the Government that officers whose ap-pointments have been rejected shall be paid up to the time of the adjournment of the Senate. Mr. Hendercon said his amendment was not in-tended to interfere with that practice, but only to prohibit the payment of any salary after the ad-journment.

ournment.

Mr. Nesmith asked if persons who had been reseted could not be re-appointed and thus draw
heir salaries?

Mr. Henderson. I do not know.

Mr. Trumbull hoped not, as that would make the
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Mr. Trumbull hoped not, as that would make the members of no value. If the Prasident had the power to re-appoint any persons whose nominations had been rejected, as soon as we adjourn, it is of the place and said that the laberious character of the held, and sa

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Mr. Clark. The authority of the member of Congress from that District, who was in the court and heard it. He tMs. C. I was surprised that such a preposition should come from the Senstor from Vermont, | Mr. Edmunds, | but was not at all surprised that it should be endorsed by the Senstor from Pennsylvania, [Mr. Cowan.]

Mr. Edmunds hoped the amendment would not be dishonered, if it was good, because of the poorness of the endorsement. [Laughter.]

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Mr. Nye. What good will it do it?
Mr. Ocwan. The Senator from Nevada has shown that he thinks it is of some good.
Mr. Nye. I never ask the endorsement of any one.
Mr. Usrk said that such propositions as this had not been in the habit of coming from Vermont.
Continuing his argument, some side talk took place between him and Mr. Cowan, in which certain Latin phrases were used.]
The Chair [Mr. Fomeroy, Gentlemen will address their remarks to the Chair.
Mr. Cowan. I will, when I don't talk Letin.
Mr. Clark resumed. His manties of patriotism was sufficiently broad to cover all loyal men from responsibility for acts done in pursuance of this daily.

responsibility for how duty.

Mr. Conness merely wished to say that when a most universal amnesty was extended to unrepent ant robus, he thought it not unreasonable the protection should be extended to the gallant depres

retection should be extended to the gallant de-enders of the country.

Mr. Edmunds said that passionate legislation thrays returned to plague those who enseted it in our hasty said to protect one class of the com-sunity let us not injure another class. Let un-ortect them by indemnity, not by an arbitrary dict. He was as anxious as any one to protect he loyal men of the country, but did not thinl my true friend of our gallant soldiers would wish und a bill as this to pass.

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Mr. Howard spoke briefly in support of the bill,
and opposed the amendment of Mr. Edmunds.
Without disposing of the amendment the Senate
want into executive session, and on its conclusion

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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RMARGIATION CRIMBATION IN VIRE DISTRICT.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication, signed by certain colored citizens of the District of Columbia, respectfully inviting the members of the House of Pepresontatives to be present at the naniversary celebration of emancipation in the District of Columbia, to take place in Franklin Square on Thursday, the 19th inst.

Mr. Eidridge, of Wisconsin. I more to refer that to the committee of filteen on reconstruction.

[Laughter on the Democratic side ]

The question being put, the motion was not of that committee. He also stated that the committee had decided to recommend that a resolution be adopted, inviting Mr. John C. Funcher to lecture before the workingmen of the District, at Odd Fellows' Hall, Seventh street. Postponed until

agreed to.

Mr. Ancona of Pennsylvania. I would like to inquire whether that invitation includes those members who voted against the emancipation? The Speaker. The invitation is addressed to all

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BOTTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD

The Speaker also laid before the House certain resolutions of the State Convention of Texas, asking aid for the construction of a southern branch of the Pacific railroad.

Mr. Westworth, of Illinois. I move that it be referred to the Committee on Reconstruction. I object, sir, to any other reference.

Mr. Conking, of New York. I should like to know whether it is to be referred to that committee in order that they may "recenstruct" this railroad or for what other reason the matter is to be referred to that committee. that committee?

Mr. Stevens, of Pennsylvania. Who signed the

The Spraker. The President of the State Convention of Texas.
Mr. Stevens. I move to lay it on the table.
The motion was not agreed to.
Mr. Rollins, of New Hampshire, then moved that the resolutions he referred to the Committee on Public Lands; and it was so ordered.

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The Speaker also laid before the House a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting a statement of the disbursements made under the 5th section of an act of Congress approvedMarch 2, 1865.

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AWARDS FOR CAPTURE OF BOOTH AND OFHERS. A communication was received from the Secretary of War, transmitting reports in respect to the awards made for the apprehension of J. Wilkes Rooth and others. [These reports form an elaborate document, embracing all the details of the award, and covering more than 150 pages of footcop.]

AURICULTURAL COLLEGES.

Mr. Burleigh, of Dacotha Territory, introduced a bill to amend section 2 of an act, entitled "An act donating public lands to the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agricultural and mechanic art;" which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Seefield, of Pa., introduced a bill for the relief of Commander J. C. Carter, of the U. S. nary, which was referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

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Lands for Rallhoad Punposes.

Mr. Paine, of Wisconsia, presented the memorial of the Legislature of Wisconsia, seking the assent of Congress to the route of the land grant railroad from Portage to Hayfield, theate to Superior; which was referred to the Committee on Public Land and ordered to be printed.

Also, a memorial from the Legislature of Wisconsia, for a grant of land to aid in the construction of on much of the Portage and Superior railroad as extends from Fond du Lac to Ripon; which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands and ordered to be printed.

SALARY OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PRISIONS.

The House then resumed the consideration of the unfinished business of the morning hour of yesterdays, namely, the bill to increase the salary of the Commissioner of Pensions from \$3,000 to \$4,000, and the salary of the Chief Clerk of the Pension Bureau from \$2,000 to \$2,500.

Mr. Rose, of Illinois, was opposed to spending the money of a people already overburdened with taxes in any such increase of salaries as that proposed by this bill. There were in his congressional district an abundance of men fully competent to fill such offices as these, and who would be giad toget them as the salaries now allowed. He hoped that the increase would not be made.

Messra. Benjamin, of Missouri, and Eggleston, of Ohio, urgod the peculiar qualifications of the present Commissioner of Pennics for the place which he held, and said that the laborious character of the duties which he was obliged to perform called for the increase of compensation fixed in the bill.

salaries of punic officers at this time.

Mr. Stevens, of Pennsylvania, decied the correctness of a statement made by the gentleman from Illinois, [Mr. Ross.] that the best talant of the country could be secured for these offices at the present salaries.

The provisions of the section were discussed at conized Metal Pen." . We have never written with bonized Metal Pen." We have never written with naything so pleasant. We have tried them upon very thin paper, and find them free from the disa-gressble fault of other steel pens, viz. catching and spattering. We can confidently say to our com-mercial friends and the public in gengral that C, Barnard's Cerbonized Metal Pens are the best over brought to our notice. — Chicago Tribuna. considerable length, and various amendments wer proposed and acted upon; finally Mr. Schenck, of Ohio, moved the previous qua-tion on the adoption of the section; pending whice motion. motion,

PRESONAL EXPLANATION.

Mr. Ingerroll, of Indiana, rose to a personal explanation of the circumntaness which had induced Mr. Shanklin, of Kentunky, to ask to be excused from further service as a member of the Committee for the District of Columbia. As the close of his for the District of Columbia.

ONLICAN | -And then, at 4 p. m., the House adjourned.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

onroy were admitted to seats from the Painter

Mr. Joseph R. Waltermeyer, the corresponding

scretary, read a number of letters from other as-sciations, in Boston, Troy, and Buffalo, showing

rother workmen to join in the procession.

Mr. A. T. Cavis, chairman of the Erecutive

Committee, made a report showing the proceeding of that committee. He also stated that the com-

the next meeting.

The report of Mr. J. C. C. Whaley, delegate to

in regard to the eight hour movement. Adopted. On motion of Mr. Waltermeyer, the corresponding secretary was directed to send a copy of the

aise an eight-hour flag at the corner of Eighth and I strests, Navy Yard, this evening at 6 o'clock. On motion of Mr. Landvoight, the execut

totion of Mr. Landveight, the execute was instructed to hold another

AFRICAN M. E. CONFERENCE.-To-day th

Church will meet at the Israel Church, on South Capitol street. This is the fiftieth year of the ex

tence of this church, and the conference will b

an interesting one. Bishops Quinn, Payne, Way

neeting during the last week in May.

cation, mission, and the Book Concern.

at Pairfax Court-house, in which she was trying to

cavalry soon made their appearance in the village but were unable to arrest the offending parties, they having left this county for their country's good... Virginia State Journal.

RESISTING THE OFFICERS .- Yesterday morn-

the scene of the riot, on the way encountering the crowd, which numbered about 200. Officer Hill

CONTRACTS AWARDED.—Yesterday morning
the proposals for the construction of a two-foot
barrel sewer in G street north, between Fourteenth

THE NATIONAL BANK PENS.—The "five twenty greenback pen," several varieties of which are manufactured by the Empire Pen Company, Nos. 32 and 34 John street, New York, are supe-rior to any metallic pen we have seen. They are made of American materials, by American work-men, and in the different kinds all hands can be emarks

Mr. Blunklin, of Kentucky, expressed himself as attisfied with the explanation that had been given, and was reappointed by the Speaker as a number of the District of Golumbia Committee. [It would gratifying to know what the explanation was it our reporter does not furnish it. ... Epiron Ri Mesers. Philp & Solomons are the

WORKINGMEN'S CONVENTION.—The regular nonthly meeting of the workingmen's convention City Hall, the vice president, Mr. Richard Emmons, in the chair, and Joseph W. Mattingly secretary, Mesers. John W. Lansdale, M. J. Pitspatrick, and James H. Reed were admitted as delegates from the Carpenters' Association. Mesers. Donald McCath-ran, William Beron, John F. Mainey, Owens, and

REAL ESTATE SALES,-The following sales of real estate have been made recently: Let 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, in Todd's subdivision of square 668, at 11 cents per square foot, to John W. Cord; lots 19 and 20, at 15 cents, to Paul Goepel; 23 to 36, at 11 cents, to George Dilli; let 32 and part of 33, in Uhlman's subdivision of square 616, to Lewis Rehl, the progress of the sight-hour cause.

Mr. John A. Landvoight stated the journeymen
bookbinders had decided to attend in a body the
meeting on the Island this evening, and invited all

FOUNDLING. - Yesterday morning Mr. Samuel Proctor, a colored man, who resides on Thirteenth street, between M and N, heard the cries of an infast, and upon searching around, found a female colored child, about one month old, tying in an alley, near his house, wrapped in some old clothes. The infant was taken in by Mr. Proc-

THE POTOMAC FISHERIES,-The fisheries o the Potomac are not doing as well as could be wished. Four or five boats arrived this morning, and they were only partially laden. At the wharf foot of Ninth street prices range from \$11 to \$14 per 1,000 for herring, and from \$16 to \$20 per 100 for shad. the New York convention, was presented, showing that the convention had decided to hold a national convention in Baltimore, on the 20th of August

next, de. The report was adopted.

Mr. Penieks offered a resolution providing for the
purchase of five hundred copies of the speech of
Hon. Mr. Brandeth, of the New York Legislature, PARDONED .- Barthold J. Dressen, who was convicted in the Criminal Court a short time since for complracy to cheat the United States, and sen-tanced to two years in the county jail, has been pardoned by the President - Dressen was indicted and convicted with two other parties. member of Congress.

Mr. Cavis introduced a resolution to reimburse

GOLD AT TENNALLYTOWN,-Gold-bearing Mr. H. Clay Preuss for losses sustained on account of the late lecture on labor. Adopted. Mr. Russell announced that the workingmen would quartz has been discovered near Tennallytown, a we hear from various quarters. It is to be hope

WE WOULD call the attention of the public to a most excellent pen made by Mr. C. Barnard, of London. It is called the Carbonized Metal Pen. We have saldom seen anything in the shape of metal pens that we could write with on rough or metal pens that we could write with on rough or Baltimore annual conference of the African M. E.

W. C. Pheles, of Devlin & Co., New York, man, and Campbell are all expected to be present. Bishop Wayman has been appointed to deliver the semi-centenary sermon before the body. Thiseon-nection was formed April 11, 1816, in the city of will be at Willard's Hotel from 11th to 19th Inst. with a large assortment of samples of new and choice styles of seasonable goods for gentlemen' woar, from which he will be happy to take orders Philadelphia. They now have ten annual conferences, viz: Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Newland, Ohio, Indiana, Missouri, Leuisiana, South Carolina, and California. They have four for garments to be made at our house in New York. ap9-10t

bishops, two hundred traveling preschers, and sev-esty-five thousand members. Last Sunday was the semi-centenary services throughout the connection, and the congregations contributed largely. The funds are to be divided between the cause of edu-

aside verdict, and for a new trial. THE RECONSTRUCTED AT FAIRFAX COURT House.—An intelligent and patriotic lady from Philadelphia, commenced, a few days ago, a school enlist forty or fifty colored children. Some of the chivalrous sons of the reconstructed in that place and among their number a son of Judge Thomas

ley and Bradley for defence. George R. Adams against George P. Rider. Agreement for the trial of the case entered. Mor-sell and Cox for plaintiff; Stewart and Riddle for

took it upon themselves a duty to put a stop to a proceeding so distanteful to their dignity by throw-ing stones at the teacher as sho passed to and from the school-house, whereupon the military authori-ties were notified of their conduct, and a squad of James Montgomery against Joseph Willard Action to recover for services rendered. Case on trial. Day for plaintiff; Mattingly for defence.

C. Carrington, Esq., District Attorney, prosecut-Resistration the Overcase.— Ecastering morning, officer Hill, of the Fourth ward, in attempting to arrest a drunken man in Swampoodle was attacked by a crowd of men and women. Word recebed the Fourth ward station, and Sergeant Eckloff, with a number of the officers, started for

erowd, which numbered about 200. Officer Hill succeeded in getting the prisoner to the station-house. Subsequently, Patrick Holden, Nannie Holden, and Johannah Holden were arrested by Officers Schaffer and Clements for participating in the riot. They were taken before Justice Walter, who committed the two man to jail and held the women to hall to answer at court the charge of re-

of the jurors answering, the Court ordered the pan and Fifteenth streets west, were opened at the Mayor's office in the City Hall. The bids were as follows: Jones & Collins, \$4.93 per foot fur the sewer, and \$43.50 for the main-hole; Jas. T. Ferry, \$4.75. \$43. J. W. & A. L. Hutton, \$5.95, and \$74. G. Turton & C. Lemon, jr., \$5.25, and \$58.50. Years.

> Judge Fisher announced that he would give an opinion this morning.

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FINE ARTS.—The people of Washington will be glad to hear that Mr. Bierstadt's Mount Hood, one of those pictures that have made him famous over the world as one of the greatest of landscape painters, will be exhibited at Seaton Hall, for the benefit of St. Ann's Orphan Asylum, commencing on Saturday, and continuing one week. There will be a private view on Thursday

CEDRINAL COURT-Judge Fisher - (Ed.

Yesterday morning the case of Isidore H. Phil lips, indicted for forging the name of C. S. Jones, was resumed, and after argument submitted to the George Edwards, alias Wig. II. Munroe, who

plead guilty yesterday of breaking into the dwell-ing house of W. C. O'Mears, and stealing there-from, was sentenced to be imprisoned in the Albany Penitentiary for three years.

jeopardy, and therefore could not be tried again. District Atterney Carrington argued that a jurer could be withdrawn and the case continued if the

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THE MARKETS

The Courts

Circuit Count—Judge Olin,—George H.

Nicholls against Ransom S. Mean. Motion for new
trial overruled. Lloyd for plaintiff, Phillips for defonce.

Asbury F. Fawrett against Catharine Grumbaugh, administratrix of John Crumbaugh. Motion to set

William Young against Bensinger and Edel. Case continued, and leave to amend granted. McPher-con for plaintiff, Thompson and Miller for decon-Louis Esbery against II. Matthias. Verdict for defendant. Kennedy and Webb for plaintiff, Brad-

rected that one of the jurors, on being called, should decline to answer, and therefore sleven only

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Further About the Fenians.

THE CHOLERA IN MAINE. THE DEARING MURDERER EARTRQUAKES IN THE WEST INDIES

The Philadelphia Murderer PRILADRIPHIA, April 18 .- The grand jury this morning found a true bill against Antoine Profer the murder of the Dearing family. The price was brought into sourt and arraigned at 1 o'clock p. m., after much legal delay. The pricener having no coursel, the Court assigned him Messra John P. O'Neill and J. C. Walbert. The prisone at first said he did not wish to have any cou all, but subsequently withdrew his objections. After a conversation with the prisoner, Mr. O'Neill After a conversation with the prisoner, Mr. O'Neill asked that the arraigment be postponed until he and his colleague could be afforded time to examine the bills of indictment. It is understood that Probst expressed a willingness to plead guilty to charging him with the murder of Cornelius Carey. The District Attorney designs, however, to try him upon a bill charging him with the murder of Mr. Dearing. This will show the confidence of the Commonwealth's officer in the strength of his case, Commonwealth's officer in the strength of his case, without availing himself of the pretended confesston of the murderer. From information received from persons who belonged to the same regiment and company as Probet, it is learned that he was a bounty jumper, who had entered the service sev-eral times and had received large bounties. They allege also that he shot his thumb off deliberately in order to gain his discharge. Among his co rades his character was anything but enviable.

From Havana. - Small-Pex and Earth quakes in the West indies. New York, April 18.—The steamer Columbia, rom Havana on the 14th, has arrived

The Diaru has a report that on the 28th February the Spanish frigates Blanca and Beranguella bombarded the port of Concepcion, and landed a force which captured the town. One vessel is said to have been sunk by them.

The Spanish men-of-war Alminsa and Consuelo reached Monterideo. The health of Havana was

The steamer Liberty, from Baltimore on the 14th, for New Orleans, arrived at Havana
The small-pox is reported raging at Ponce, Port-

The shock of an earthquake was felt at Ponce on

Latest from the Fenians. New York, April 18.—A special to the Herald from Lieut. Stephens says the Adjutant General of

Maine arrived to-day.

A British frigate is in the river with troops The Sea Wing, the flag-ship of the West India

equadron, went up the river St, Croix. She brought 190 troops from Halifax. Pourtann, April 18.—The Government has chartered the steamer Regulator to take a company of regulars to some point, probably Eastport. She will probably leave on the arrival of the noon train, which is expected to bring Gen. Meads.

New York Markets. NEW YORK, April 18.—Cotton heavy; sales of 1,600 bales at \$37. Flour active; sales of 3,500 bbls. State at \$7.15a\$9; Ohio, \$8.55a\$12; Western, \$7.15a\$9. Southern advanced 20a30 cts.; sales of 2,500 bbls, at \$9.75a\$16. Wheat setive and Sol 2 cts. higher; sales of 9,700 bushs., No. 1 Milwaukis at \$1.83a\$1.88; white Canada, \$2.53a2.60. Corn advanced 1 cent; sales of 37,000 bushs, at 84a87

cts. Pork heavy. Whisky dull. Rice standy. Sugar quiet; Muscovado, 11ja12j cts. Coffee dull; sales 12,000 bags. Naval stores dull. Freights drouping. Gold, 127‡. Another Infected Shiplord of Emigrants. New York, April 18.—The British steamship Virginia, from Liverpool on the 4th instant, has

She brought one thousand and forty-three pas sengers. Thirty-eight died on the passage. She is anchored in quarantine. The disease is said to be similar to that with which the steamship England

The Virginia is to be immediately sent to the lower bay, to the usual quarantine anchorage, which is twenty miles below the city. Cholera at Portland, Maine PORTLAND, April 18.—A man died in this city of the cholera this morning. He is said to be one of the five who escaped from the steamer England.

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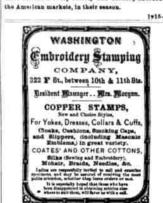
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